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A Lady Beaten to Death.

City of Mexico, Dec. 16 .- The press here publishes a story to the effect that Chief of Police Leon of San Jose, Guatemala, recently ar rested Senora Noriaga while that lady was on the way to Salvador and conducted her to Guatemala " Rio Grande, Tri-Weekly at 7 p.m. City, where she was beaten to death with rods in the plaza near is in contemplation from Galveston the prison. It appears that the un to Beaumont, opening an entirely tortunate woman supported the new and perhaps even more tertile cause of San Salvador in 1890.

Tackled The Banks.

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 15.-Mrs. Annie Murphy, alias Miss McRae, wanted here for alleged forgery of a number of drafts on the Chase National bank of New York city, cows pastures formerly worth \$1 and was yesterday arrested at Huntsville, Ala., for attempting the same of \$100 an acre. What is needed is game, which was exposed by a tele more farmers to further occupy gram of inquiry received here from this veritable Eden. And what else a Huntsville bank.

Mrs. Murphy is the wife of a money for themselves? They will Tacoma wood dealer, from whom increase taxable values. They will she parted recently.

in male attire. She wears her hair Galveston and Houston. cut short and is stout.

Her father is Senator McRae, formerly of Saint Cloud, Minn.

Jokers' Congress.

First catch the hair on your husband, s coat-collar .- Boston Ga-

We have seen a square man turn round .- Youkers Statesman,

Speaking about the pool-room evil, did you ever notice that it takes about eight men to receive the money and only one to pay it out?-Buffalo Express.

A market report states that "cranberries are cornered." This is hardly the term to use. "Cranappropriate. - Philadelphia Times. must be profitable and satisfactory. Elmira Gazette.

A POINTER.

Let Cameron County Join the Procession.

The following editorial from the Galveston News regarding a move ment set on foot by the cities of Galveston and Hoaston to induce immigration, contains many hints which may open the eyes of the peo ple of Cameron county to the advantage of having railroad communication with the cuter world:

The movement just undertaken

by citizens of Galveston and Hous ton to induce immigration to the coast country is directly in line with the News' suggestion of trade endeavor undertakings for the com ing year. Settlers are a primal ele Texas. ment of trade. Where there would be traffic there must be people, and where there are people there must be traffic. It is wise, too, that this movement proposes to literally templates settling farmers in the coast country lying between and adjoining Galveston and Houston a section richer in fertility than Cali fornia and more productively tropical than Florida-where fruits and vegetables of all kinds are already well tested and where the railroads are casting anxious eyes. Hitchcock pears and Alvin strawberries are even now market proverbs, and these are but promises of what the whole coast country is destined to do. Already a third line of rail road is practically finished between Galveston and Houston. Another stretch of virgin prairie, with the same sub-tropical climate, where the cranges and the figs have not been fatally hart by cold within memory. This is mere forecast. The fruit and vegetable farmers are already at work making old acre yield revenue on a valuation will these farmers do besides make buy elothing and groceries, imple-It is said Mrs. Murphy appeared ments and furniture. Where? In Every trade in set the whole community to profi-Talk about your transformation! table and healthful industry. Inci dentally these two cities expect to reap direct benefits from their immigrant excursions in the way of sharp investors that will come along and perceive the golden har vest of profits that await the certain reaping. The plan is simply to bring people here, let them look at both cities and the country between, and buy or settle where they prefer. It is practical and

A Strange Dream and Vision. Berclair, Tex., Dec. 13-Bud Scarbar, formerly a citizen of Bee

county, had a very strange dream and also a vision a month or so ago. The dream was as follows:

That he went to New York on business and while there went to the House of Truth on Wall street and there he saw a number of balls. One was a very large one. He asked what they were for, and was told that the large ones was the representation of England and the small ones the United States, and that every time the large ball rolled and struck a smaller ball it knocked \$4 out of the small ball. He asked what they did with the money, and told that it went to England to en able her to buy the United States. Then, in his dream, God walked in and said to him: "You have a son who will make a great man." Then God walked out and the Devil came in and demanded of him his son, whom he refused to give to him. The Devil then said: "I will have him," and the (Scarbar) replied that he would summon God to help him keep his boy. The Dev il then walked out and he awoke.

Next evening he started for Bee ville. Arriving there he stayed at Mr. Vandolen's that night and next morning, while getting his horses out of a small pasture, he had a vision. God called to him again and walked with him for 100 yards or more and told him to repent of his wickedness. God seemed to him as if he were walking in the

After this Mr. Scarbar joined the church and tried to be baptized but could get no one to baptise him. For three weeks after this dream and vision he was a sane man, but is now a raving maniac. He ran for justice of the peace and was elected. He has lived near Mineral City for many years and was lik ed by everyone. He was kept in jail at Beeville, Tex., for a while, being dangerous, but was sent to the asylum at Austin, passing through here on Sunday, December 11. These are the facts as related by his people.

A Revolt in Brazil.

Rio Janeiro, Dec. 16 .- A milita ry revolt broke out at Nichecherey both today, the object being to raise to cities must feel the effect of their the presidency exGovernor Portella. increase, and be correspondingly leader of the autonomist party. The stimulated. Larger retail trade federal troops were at once dispatch makes larger wholesale trade and ed to the scene and the revolt soon Recipe for a domestic broil: both make greater demand for suppressed. Two persons were kill stores and offices, and these in time ed and many arrested. It is rumor call in mechanics and laborers, and ed that several influential persons are implicated in the plot.

> Many a man will fight if you kick his dog, who lets his wife carry in all the wood.-Ram's

> Even if the comet hasn't a tail there have been a good many tales about the comet .- Rochester Dem

A man is satisfied to make a reputation for himself, but woman, bless her, wants to make one for berries are jamed" would be more liberal, and if judiciously executed everybody in the neighborhood .-